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**From:** Laws, Meredith [Laws.Meredith@epa.gov]  
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**Subject:** RE: R7 OPA News Clippings - 2/16/21

Thanks Jamie.

This just seems to keep getting worse.

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Did you see these articles on the ethanol plant in NE?

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## THE NEWS

**Lincoln (NE) Journal-Star - 'A dump for seed corn companies' — Mead residents worry what comes next for troubled ethanol plant – 2/14/21** - Year after state regulators ordered AltEn Ethanol to stop selling its pesticide-contaminated soil conditioner to local farmers, the Mead ethanol plant remained the final destination for millions of pounds of treated seed in North America.  
<http://bit.ly/3poWQFJ>

**KETV Ch. 7 Omaha NE - University of Nebraska working to contain spill from shutdown ethanol plant in Mead – 2/13/21** - Nebraska's Department of Environment and Energy says it is actively monitoring a discharge from the AltEn ethanol plant in Mead. Researchers with the University of

Nebraska-Lincoln's Eastern Nebraska Research, Extension and Education Center discovered the spill Friday, which was reported to be about 3 miles from the plant. <http://bit.ly/3u6iZMw>

**Omaha (NE) World-Herald - Frozen pipe burst causes wastewater leak at ethanol plant near Mead – 2/13/21** - State environmental officials on Friday were monitoring an early morning wastewater discharge from an ethanol plant near Mead that had been ordered to close a week ago because of concerns about pollution of air, water and land. <http://bit.ly/3anZnvu>